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Sir:

This paper is submitted as a response to the office action dated April 22, 2004. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested. The Commissioner is authorized to deduct the required extension fee, and any other fees required for any reason relating to this paper under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 to 1.21 from Locke Liddell & Sapp LLP Deposit Account No. 12-1322/21843.312UP.